

**SPECIAL MEETING
BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN
(PUBLIC PARTICIPATION)**

June 5, 2007

7:00 PM

Mayor Guinta called the meeting to order.

Mayor Guinta calls for the Pledge of Allegiance, which was led by Cub Scout Pack 290.

A moment of silent prayer was observed.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Aldermen Roy, Gatsas, Long, Duval, Pinard, O'Neil, Lopez,
DeVries, Garrity, Smith, Thibault, Forest.

Absent: Osborne,(late) Shea,(late)

Mayor Guinta: As many of you know from time to time we give out good neighbor awards for people in our city who perform above and beyond the call of duty, and it came to my attention thanks to Alderman DeVries of something very special that Cub Scout Pack 290 did back on May 19th and May 23rd, they cleared a two mile stretch of Lake Shore Road of trash and debris, and they had to do it over two days apparently because we had monsoon like conditions on that period of time. So I was very please to hear about kids focussing on community and improving neighborhoods. The city is undertaking, as you all know this year is the year of the neighborhoods, kids like you deserve our thanks and appreciation. So I am pleased to be joined with both Alderman Pinard and Alderman DeVries in presenting this good neighbor award to the Cub Scout Pack 290, St. Pious the tenth Church for exemplifying true neighborliness among their community making the City of Manchester a better and cleaner place to live. And I urge all citizens of Manchester to applaud Cub Scout 290 for their generosity and good will. Thank you all Very much.

Mayor Guinta advised that the purpose of the special meeting is to give residents of Manchester the opportunity to address the Board on items of concern affecting the community; that each person will be given only one opportunity to speak; that comments shall be limited to three minutes to allow all participants the opportunity to speak and any comments must be directed to the Chair. Mayor Guinta requested that any resident wishing to speak come forward to the nearest microphone, clearly state their name and address when recognized, and give their comments.

Billy Dodd Ward 7 Manchester (re: city wide) stated:

First of all the City ought to be proud of all their high school athletes that went over to Durham this past weekend and competed in the track and field events. They all did their very best over there. Good time watching them. The city should be proud of them. Next couple of things, Kariatsis Ave, housing project thinking down you guys last month on how to give half a million dollar loan. According to the Planning Department up there you guys sent back up and did not specify whether it is was going to be performing loan, a grant, or deferred loan. And I believe this board is the only one who can decide how that loan is going to be repaid. Manchester Daily Express, lot of nice information in here, a lot more than the other paper that comes out. Thing in there on committee public safety and traffic about Millyard parking, parking permits 40 pay and display kiosk, and money, money, money. Going to create a whole more parking spaces down there which is going to give a lot more chances to write a parking ticket. Good way to come out with revenue. But since April my understanding is this committee on public safety and traffic is been aware of a problem up at Trinity High with kids cutting across Bridge Street cutting through a hole in a fence to get to a parking lot where I don't believe they have a parking detail to park. And they're cutting through traffic in and out and it's been brought to this committees attention several times I understand and you are going to do whole lot down in the Millyard with parking and making money, but is going to take a kid getting hit up there before you react and make them walk up where the crosswalk is instead of crossing through traffic and a hole in the fence, need to get your priorities straight on that one. Again the Karatzas Ave. housing project the half a million dollar loan interest free. Sweetheart purchase and sales agreement on the Chase Block, that nobody often knew about it, I don't think. Interest free loan on the McQuade Building, for that remodeling project. And now you got the JAC PAC deal coming up. All these projects are going to one gentleman, Mr. Anagnost, what does he know that all other developers don't know? You have dozens and dozens of people that you showed the JAC PAC land to last fall and you get one person that responds to the RFP's. If you only had one persons respond to any RFP'S for services you would put out back for bid. Don't approve the JAC PAC deal goes it's going to come back and bite you in the backside. You have been sitting on that land for a couple years, it won't take you, wouldn't hurt to sit on it for another two years. Manchester, this board and past board have rezoned industrial land for commercial and residential purposes. Okay, it's gotten so its either high tech or service jobs. The city doesn't even make widges any more. Okay, it seems like past boards and this board has forgotten Manchester's industrial roots. You got to start making things. The last thing, motorcycle noise, guess what last year I think the motorcycle enforcement came real heavy in October when they were getting ready to put the bikes away. Okay, and ah RSA:266 59A talks about a deaf mobile and how you use it. My understanding is the Police Department has one but it's broke. When is it going to get fixed? We're doing everything on drugs and prostitution and everything else like that but you are not doing anything else on the other side of quality of life. And the noise that goes on in the city, all these trash can mufflers that are on these cars, that make them extra loud. Okay, modified equipment it's a

ticket. Its disturbing people, motorcycle you got a lot of bikes who are running around who only have a speedometer they don't have a tack. So if you get your decimeter fixed, how are you to tell how may RPMS is going by the RSA. I think the Police Department needs to put in your Traffic and Safety committee needs to get into some, some issues on some noise in the city. Do it before October, do it like now, go after in inspection stations that are inspecting these bikes, and take away their inspecting privileges and you will see things change. And a lot of motorcycle stops, you'd be surprised how many drugs are coming into the city now by choice on motorcycles. It would behoove them to stop a lot more. Thank you.

There being no one else present wishing to speak, on motion of Alderman Roy, duly seconded by Alderman Pinard, it was voted to take all comments under advisement and further to receive and file any written documentation presented

There being no further business to be presented and on motion of Alderman Roy, duly seconded by Alderman Pinard, it was voted to adjourn.

A true Record. Attest

City Clerk